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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

Cypress Lake Software, Inc.,

Plaintiff,

v.

ZTE (USA) Inc.; HP Inc.,

Defendant.

Case No. 5:18-cv-06144-EJD

**HP'S NOTICE RE UPDATE ON EX  
PARTE REEXAMINATION OF U.S.  
PATENT NO. 9,423,954**

1 HP hereby provides the Court with an update on the status of the ex parte reexamination  
2 of U.S. Patent No. 9,423,954. On December 4, 2019, the United States Patent and Trademark Office  
3 issued an Advisory Action in the ex parte reexamination of U.S. Patent No. 9,423,954. In the  
4 Advisory Action, the patent examiner maintained the final rejection of claims 14-15 as unpatentable  
5 over the combined teachings of the Kim and Seo references, and claim 16 as unpatentable over the  
6 combined teachings of Kin, Seo, and Jobs. (Ex. A.) Plaintiff Cypress Lake Software, Inc. currently  
7 asserts claim 14 of U.S. Patent 9,423,954 against HP Inc.

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Respectfully submitted,

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